

House File 370

H-1123

1 Amend House File 370 as follows:

2 1. Page 3, after line 31 by inserting:

3 <Sec. ____ . NEW SECTION. 279.8C Board of directors — access
4 to information.

5 1. The board of directors of a school district shall have
6 access to and may review any of the following:

7 a. The curriculum associated with any instruction provided
8 to students enrolled in the school district.

9 b. Materials located in a library operated by the school
10 district, including a library located in a classroom.

11 c. Materials provided to an employee of the school district
12 during a professional development program.

13 2. A school district shall not prohibit a member of the
14 board of directors of the school district from attending
15 classes taught by teachers employed by the school district to
16 monitor and assess classroom instruction if the member has
17 provided reasonable prior notice to the superintendent and
18 principal of the attendance center in which the classes are
19 taught and to the teacher providing the instruction.

20 3. A school district shall not prohibit a member of the
21 board of directors of the school district from attending any
22 professional development program that an employee of the school
23 district also attends.

24 4. For purposes of this section, "*professional development*
25 *program*" means the same as defined in section 272.1.>

26 2. Page 7, line 28, by striking <have a> and inserting <have
27 a employ at least one>

28 3. By striking page 7, line 35, through page 8, line 1.

29 4. Page 12, line 10, after <homes.> by inserting <"School
30 infrastructure" includes the construction, reconstruction,
31 repair, demolition work, purchasing, or remodeling of
32 schoolhouses, stadiums, gymnasiums, fieldhouses, and school bus
33 garages, the procurement of schoolhouse construction sites, the
34 making of site improvements, and those activities for which
35 revenues under section 298.3 or chapter 300 may be spent.>

- 1 5. Page 12, by striking lines 11 through 27.
- 2 6. Page 15, line 6, after <a.> by inserting <(1)>
- 3 7. Page 15, line 9, after <city> by inserting <or cities>
- 4 8. Page 15, after line 16 by inserting:
- 5 <(2) The governing body of a city may authorize the
- 6 issuance of bonds which are payable from its designated portion
- 7 of the revenues to be received under this section, and not
- 8 from property tax, by following the authorization procedures
- 9 described in section 384.83. A city may pledge irrevocably any
- 10 amount derived from its designated portions of the revenues to
- 11 the support or payment of such bonds.>
- 12 9. By striking page 16, line 33, through page 17, line 6.
- 13 10. Page 17, lines 8 and 9, by striking ~~<— POSTING OF~~
- 14 ~~NOTICE OF PROPOSED BUDGET>~~
- 15 11. Page 18, after line 1 by inserting:
- 16 <Sec. ____ . Section 273.8, subsection 2, paragraph c, Code
- 17 2023, is amended to read as follows:
- 18 c. The board of each separate school district that is
- 19 located entirely or partially inside an area education agency
- 20 director district shall cast a vote for director of the area
- 21 education agency board based upon the ratio that the population
- 22 of the school district, or portion of the school district, in
- 23 the director district bears to the total population in the
- 24 director district. The population of each school district or
- 25 portion shall be determined by the department of education.
- 26 The member of the area education agency board to be elected may
- 27 be a member of a local school district board of directors and
- 28 shall be an elector and a resident of the director district,
- 29 but shall not be a school district employee shall be an elector
- 30 and a resident of the director district and may be a member
- 31 of a local school district board of directors or a substitute
- 32 teacher who is employed by the school district and holds a
- 33 license issued by the board of educational examiners, but shall
- 34 not be employed by the school district in any other position.>
- 35 12. Title page, by striking lines 8 and 9 and inserting <of

1 regents, area education agencies, and election commissioners,
2 and the membership>
3 13. By renumbering as necessary.

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